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**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Application of Karl WEBER  
SCHEDULING OF REALTIME COMMUNICATION IN SWITCHED  
NETWORKS  
**Assignee: SIEMENS AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT**  
Our Ref. Q79527

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising twelve (12) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, and one (1) sheet of drawings. **Copies of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.**

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>11</u>	-	<u>20</u>	=	<u>          </u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u>          </u>	\$0.00
Independent claims	<u>2</u>	-	<u>3</u>	=	<u>          </u>	x	\$86.00	=	<u>          </u>	\$0.00
Base Fee										\$770.00
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>										<b><u>\$770.00</u></b>

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$770.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.



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Priority is claimed from:

Country

Application No

Filing Date

Germany

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February 28, 2003

The priority document is enclosed herewith.

**Since the anniversary of the priority date fell on a Saturday, the filing of this application on Monday, March 1, 2004, is sufficient to obtain the benefit of priority.**

Respectfully submitted,  
SUGHRUE MION, PLLC  
Attorneys for Applicant

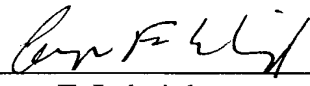
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